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THE DETHRONED QUEEN

Cleveland Delivers His Special Message.

IS STILL AGAINST ANNEXATION

Liliuokalani Fails to Agree With the President's Plans of Extending Amnesty.

WASHINGTON, December 18. — The President's message on Hawaiian matters, together with the testimony gathered by Commissioner Blount from which the conclusions of the administration were drawn and diplomatic correspondence throwing light upon our relations with Hawaii, was sent to congress this morning. Much of the message is devoted to a lengthy review of Blount's report, which has already been published. In conclusion, the President says in part:

"As I apprehend the situation we are brought face to face with the following conditions: The lawful government of Hawaii was overthrown without drawing a sword or firing a shot by a process every step of which it may safely be asserted was directly traceable to and dependent for its success upon the agency of the United States government through its diplomatic and naval representatives. But for the lawless occupation of Honolulu under false pretexts by United States forces and but for Minister Stevens' recognition of the provisional government when the United States forces were its sole support and constituted its only military strength, the Queen and her government would never have yielded to the provisional government, even for a time, and for the sole purpose of submitting her case to the enlightened justice of the United States. Believing, therefore, that the United States could not under the circumstances disclose to annex these islands without justly incurring the imputation of acquiring them by unjustifiable methods I shall not again submit a treaty of annexation to the senate.

"In the instructions to Minister Willis, a copy of which accompanies the message, I have directed him to so inform the provisonal government. By its own declared limitation it was only 'to exist until terms of union with the United States of America have been negotiated and agreed upon.' I hoped that if after this assurance to the members of that government that such union could not be consummated, I might compass a peaceful adjustment of the difficulty. Actuated by these desires and purposes I instructed Minister Willis to advise the Queen and her supporters of my desire to aid in the restoration of the status existing before the lawless landing of United States forces at Honolulu, if such restoration could be effected upon terms providing for clemency as well as justice to all parties concerned. The conditions suggested, as the last instructions show, contemplate a general amnesty to those concerned in the making up of the provisional government and the recognition of all its bona fide acts and obligations. In short, they require that the past should be buried and and that the restored government could resume its authority as if its continuity had not been interrupted.

"These conditions have not proved acceptable to the Queen, and though she has been informed that they will be insisted upon and that unless acceded to the efforts of the President to aid in the restoration of her government will cease, I have not thus far learned that she is willing to give her acquiescence. The check which my plans have thus encountered has prevented their presentation to members of the provisional government.

"In commending this subject to the extended powers and wise discretion of congress I desire to add the assurance that I shall be much gratified to cooperate in any legislative plan which may be devised for a solution of the problem before us which is consistent with American honor, integrity and morality."

The first communication of importance submitted with the President's message were Gresham's instructions to Willis, dated October 18th, which requests Willis to make known to the Queen the desire of this government to restore her to her throne, and inform the Queen she is expected to extend amnesty to all who are against her. Having secured the Queen's agreement to this, Willis is instructed to inform the Provisional government it is expected to promptly restore the Queen to constitutional authority. Willis finding the Queen unwilling to accept the conditions, telegraphed for further instructions. Gresham sent further instructions by the steamer Corwin on December 4th, to the effect that the brevity of Willis' telegrams was embarrassing, and that Willis was to insist upon an amesty, and that the President's further efforts to restore the Queen depend upon the unqualified agreement of the Queen to all obligations.

SCHOOL MONEY

Apportioned to the Various Districts by Superintendent Kirk.

County Superintendent of Schools T. J. Kirk has notified County Treasurer Nelson of the apportionment of $30,024.38 of county school money, to the school districts of this county, as follows:

Auberry Valley, Alcalde, American Colony, Burch, Bethel, Black Mountain, Big Sandy, Carothers, Duke, Dry Creek, Crescent, Centerville, Canal, Clark's Valley, Eureka, Easterby, Elkhorn, Eschol, Fairview, Fruitvale, Frankwood, Franklin, Granville, Garfield, Gill, Houghton, Huron, Hopewell, Hawkins, Happy Canon, Iowa, Idlewild, Jacalitos, Jefferson, Kingston, Kutner Colony, Lone Star, Lower Mill Creek, Liberty, Lorena, Letcher, Lake, Los Gatos, Lawn Tennis, Mountain View, Mechanicsville, Monroe, Magnolia, Mill Creek, Madison, Mendocino, Mississippi, Mendota, New Hope, Panoche, Paige, Princeton, Prairie, Pleasant Valley, Pleasant Vale, Pine Grove, Round Mountain, River Bend, River Dale, Perrin, Rosedale, Sycamore, Sentinel, Summit Lake, Squaw Valley, Sunnyside, Temperance, Waltoke, Walnut and West Dry Creek, $210.15 each, county fund; $23.35 each, library fund.

Belmont, $675.50 county fund, $25 library fund; Cherry, Clay, Deer Park, Fort Washington, Fancher, Fink, Hughes, Hills Valley, Lewis Creek, Millerton, Red Banks, Riverside, Walters, $168.12 each county fund, $18.68 library fund; Das Palos, $63.05 county fund, $7 library fund; Fresno colony, $420.30 county and $46.70 library fund; Firebaugh, $205.05 county and $22.86 library fund; Fowler, $678.52 county and $50 library fund; Harrison, $105.10 county and $11.68 library fund; Kroeger, $294.21 and $32.69; Kingsburg, $468.70 and $25; Kirk, Malaga, Oleander, Smiths Ferry, West Park, $442 and $25 each; Little Panoche, $151.31 and $16.81; Orange Center, $246.52 and $15; Pomona, $218.50 and $15; Pleasant Vale, $210.15 and $23.35; Scandinavian, $227.84 and $15; Sanger, $1117.50 and $50; Terry, $510.15 and $23.35; Washington colony, $675 and $25; Valley View, $1584.50 and $50; Zorra, $105.08 and $11.67.

The Fresno city district was apportioned $5737.50 county fund, $100 library fund and a special fund of $10,000.

HAPPY NIMRODS.

They Bring to Earth an Immense Swan.

Louis Scholler of the Tivoli, Al Riley and J. D. Morgan went to James' Home ranch Sunday on a duck hunt and brought back the biggest bird seen in Fresno this season—an immense wild swan, measuring seven feet and four inches from wing tip to wing tip and weighing twenty-two pounds.

It was Louis' fine marksmanship that brought down the magnificent bird, but it took more trouble to get it than to shoot it. It would fall a distance and then fly from the hunters, then fall again and fly, and so on. Louis, who hasn't been training of late, was soon winded and had to give up the chase, but Riley and his dog Kaiser kept up the pursuit till the swan was run down, about two miles from where Scholler shot it.

The boys confirm the statement that dying swans sing, and a monogram from each on this subject, of great scientific value, may be expected at an early date. The only point on which they disagree is as to the tune the swan sang. Scholler says it was "After the Ball," Riley, "The Widow Malone," and Morgan "Annie Rooney." Scholler will have the swan stuffed.

SUPERVISORS' MEETING

PARTIAL PAYMENT OF SMILIE BROTHERS AUTHORIZED.

Miss Nellie Boyd's Resignation Accepted, With Resolutions of Thanks.

[Official.] December 18, 1893.

Present, full board.

The petitions of William Degen, W. D. Deming, Owen Murray, N. Hanley and J. S. Gentry for retail liquor license came on regularly for hearing.

All the above parties being in attendance, or represented before the board, after due consideration thereof, the board being full indorsed in the matter, it is ordered that the said petitions be and the same are hereby granted.

In the matter of the petition of M. B. Thompson for a retail liquor license. It appearing that no affidavit of publication is filed herein, it is ordered that this matter be continued until January 3, 1894.

The report of expenditures, accompanied with resignation of Nellie Boyd, World's Fair commissioner, filed herein, is ordered accepted, and upon motion of Supervisor Butler the following resolution is unanimously adopted:

MISS BOYD'S RESIGNATION.

"FRESNO, December 16, 1893.

"To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the County of Fresno:

"Gentlemen—I herewith present to your honorable board my account of expenses and money received while acting as your agent at Chicago during the World's Fair, showing a balance of cash on hand of $72.70—the same having been deposited with the county treasurer for the World's Fair commissioner.

"After thanking your honorable board for the honor conferred on me by your appointment as manager of said county exhibit, I herewith hand in my resignation for same, and ask your honorable board to accept the same. Yours respectfully, NELLIE BOYD."

RESOLUTIONS OF THANKS.

FRESNO, December 18, 1893.

The following resolutions, offered by Supervisor Butler, were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, Miss Nellie Boyd has this day submitted her report returning to to the treasurer of the county $72.70, and filed her resignation with this board as one of the commissioners to the late great World's Fair at Chicago, to which position she was duly appointed, now be it

Resolved, That this board deem it not only fitting and proper, but a duty, to enter of record some formal expression of the appreciation that is felt for the creditable manner in which she performed the services for which she was chosen.

Resolved, that it is a matter of pride and satisfaction to the people of Fresno county to receive reports from time to time from Chicago stating how zealously Miss Boyd, with her womanly grace and dignified bearing while in charge of our exhibit showed her loyalty to California, and particularly to Fresno county.

Resolved, that in the faithful performance of the duties imposed by the position, she has still further endeared herself to her friends, her neighbors and to all the people of Fresno county.

Resolved, that the foregoing be embodied in the minutes of this board, and that a copy be engrossed and presented to Miss Boyd.

In the matter of making final settlement with Smilie Brothers, the court house contractors, Supervisor Foster moved to reconsider former order rejecting the demand of said Smilie Brothers in the sum of $24,208, in final settlement for the construction of said court house, which motion was seconded by Supervisor Wickersham, and passed by the following vote:

Supervisor Letcher—Aye.
Supervisor Wickersham—Aye.
Supervisor Foster—Aye.
Supervisor Sayre—No.
Supervisor Butler—No.

Supervisor Foster moved to allow Smilie Brothers, court house contractors, the sum of $17,500, as partial payment for the construction of the court house, which motion was seconded by Supervisor Wickersham, and passed by the following vote:

Supervisor Letcher—Aye.
Supervisor Wickersham—Aye.
Supervisor Foster—Aye.
Supervisor Sayre—No.
Supervisor Butler—No.

There being no further business before the board, adjourned until Tuesday, January 3, 1894.

W. A. SHEPHERD, Clerk.
By J. B. JOHNSON, Deputy.

NEWS OF THE COAST

Kern County Raisin Growers Organize.

TRAMP ARRESTS TOO EXPENSIVE

Bakersfield Officials Rake in $25,000 a Year for That Duty Alone.

BAKERSFIELD, December 18.—A mass meeting of raisin growers was held at Rosedale Saturday evening to take steps to prevent a reduction of the duty on raisins and other dried fruits proposed by the Wilson bill.

The feeling was unanimous and emphatic that the reduction would be a great blow to these industries, with a strong prospect that ruination would follow for many who have invested their all in orchards and vineyards.

An executive committee was appointed consisting of E. H. Loveland, M. M. Randall of Rosedale and S. C. Smith of Bakersfield.

The first step taken will be to secure favorable action from the State Fruit Growers' convention which meets in San Francisco December 29th, and to that end delegates will be sent from this county.

KERN COUNTY'S GRAND JURY

Decides Too Much Money is Being Paid for the Arrest of Tramps.

BAKERSFIELD, December 18.—After a week's session the grand jury has adjourned. Its report complains bitterly of the arresting of tramps too freely under the vagrant law. Not less than $25,000 is being paid annually to constables and justices for this business alone. It recommends some legislative action in the matter. It also recommends the appointment of an expert, an outsider who is not acquainted here, to expert all the county books and accounts, including justices of the peace.

A Murderer Captured.

ASHLAND, Or., December 18. James Godfrey, indicted for the murder of Smith on Siskiyou mountain in September, was captured by the sheriff of Tehama county yesterday near Red Bluff. Deputy Sheriff Dean of this county left today to bring Godfrey back for trial.

An Inadequate Sentence.

SAN FRANCISCO, December 18.—Martin O'Neil, who was convicted of manslaughter for the most brutal murder of Mrs. Kate Grilles, was today sentenced to ten years imprisonment, the limit allowed by law.

SMILIE BROTHERS' BILL.

The Supervisors Reconsider Their Action.

The Board of Supervisors transacted some important business at the session held yesterday afternoon.

A number of applicants for retail liquor licenses were before them to answer to remonstrances or to answer to complaints, and were disposed of to the satisfaction of all concerned.

Miss Nellie Boyd's report and resignation were submitted and the board experienced a surprise by the return of $72.70, as a surplus, to the county treasury, instead of a deficit, as is usually the case.

This developed a corresponding streak of generosity, as evidenced by the fact that the board voted the entire amount to the Midwinter Fair commission to meet its requirements.

Mr. Foster then moved to reconsider the action of the board in rejecting the claim of Smilie Brothers for a balance of $24,208 on the court house contract.

Mr. Butler asked the object of the motion, and Mr. Foster stated that while he did not consider that they were entitled to the entire balance that some part of it was due them, and it was but right that that portion should be tendered them.

Mr. Sayre stated that he was satisfied the entire amount claimed was due them and therefore would not vote for the motion. Mr. Butler was of like opinion;

The motion to reconsider was carried, Supervisors Foster, Wickersham and Chairman Letcher in the affirmative and Supervisors Butler and Sayre in the negative.

Mr. Foster moved to allow Smilie Brothers the sum of $17,500 as a partial payment on the work done, and after some expression of opinion, the motion was carried, the same three voting in the affirmative.

If the contractors accept the amount allowed it will leave the sum of $6708 claimed by Smilie Brothers as matter in dispute to be settled hereafter.

A Bicycle Thief.

Louis Page, whose arrest at Madera for stealing Roy Meyers' bicycle was mentioned in Sunday's REPUBLICAN, was examined before Justice Austin yesterday and held to answer in the sum of $1000. The wheel is a new one worth $150, and Page's offence is therefore grand larceny. The thief acknowledged taking the bicycle, but said a partner of his had represented that it belonged to him. It was stolen from in front of a butcher shop where Meyers had left it.

James H. Brown Dead.

James Harry Brown died Sunday night at his residence on north F street, after a painful illness. He was born in Pike county, Missouri, on June 12, 1847, and came to this county in 1882, going on a vineyard. In 1888 he engaged in the occupation of draying. He leaves a wife and seven children. The funeral will take place this morning at 10, from the Christian church.

Judge Holmes set Wednesday, December 20th, as the date for a number of persons charged with criminal offenses to appear and plead, and if they default their bonds will be estreated.

In the divorce suit of Kate C. Newton against William G. Newton, the defendant failed to comply with an order of the court, and yesterday Judge Holmes sentenced him to one day in the county jail.

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WANTED—3 SALESLADIES AT WIENER'S 1 Street Store. d[illegible]

WANTED—A GIRL IN PRIVATE FAMILY; must be good cook. Apply 1927 K st. d[illegible]

WANTED—GIRL ABOUT 16 TO HELP WITH housework. Apply at 1111 J street. d[illegible]

WANTED—A GIRL TO DO GENERAL housework. Apply to MR. WILLIAM HELM, 2023 Fresno street. d[illegible]

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WANTED—SITUATIONS

WANTED—GOOD PRUNER WANTS WORK. Address PRUNER, box 14, this office. d[illegible]

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WANTED—PLACE ON A RANCH BY A blacksmith and his wife; no children. Address 218 Nelson avenue. d[illegible]

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LOST OR STOLEN FROM 1027 I STREET, between 11 p.m. Saturday and 6 a.m. Sunday, small Jersey cow, 2 years old, light roan; had on halter; coming fresh soon branded J on left hip near backbone. Suitable reward for her return to 1027 I street. d[illegible]

LOST—A DARK CHESTNUT SORREL COLT about 6 months old; 8 white feet and white stripe in face. A liberal reward will be paid for its return to 330 O street. J. S. LEAR. d[illegible]

LOST—ON FRESNO OR I STREETS LAST Saturday night, one gold locket with diamond setting on one side, plain on opposite, leave same at Schweiser's harness store and receive reward. d[illegible]

ESTRAYED

ESTRAYED—A BLACK MARE, HIND LEGS white; 5 years old; had on halter and chain. Notify REV. E. MECKEL, 1721 Mono street, Fresno. d[illegible]

ESTRAYED—FROM MISSOLA RANCH, about December 1st, a small red cow with halter and fifty feet of rope attached. Please notify J. D. JONES, Fresno, or at ranch, and get reward. d[illegible]

TAKEN UP

TAKEN UP—A BLACK MARE COLT, APparently in foal; white hind feet and something like shot marks on belly. Apply at Fresno Foundry. d[illegible]

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THE HAWAIIAN FIASCO.

It will hardly be claimed that the President's special message to congress on the Hawaiian question conveys any new information on that subject. The arguments with which he attempts to justify his action are merely a restatement of Blount's report, from which he draws some conclusions apparently not entirely satisfactory to himself.

The message states that new difficulties in the way of carrying out the restoration of the Queen have arisen, both in Hawaii and in this country, but congress and the public are left to guess what these new difficulties are, as not a ray of light is thrown upon that vague statement. If there has actually been any change in the situation, either in Hawaii or this country since the President's personal representative made his report, no information to that effect has been given to the public, and until it is the public is justified in the conclusion that this is merely a convenient way of explaining the fact that the President was deceived as to what the situation really was.

The reason stated for the miscarriage of the executive plan to reinstate the Queen is doubtless true in part, although a surprising lack of gallantry is shown, coming from such a source, in throwing the entire responsibility upon the Queen's declination to accept the terms upon which she was to be again made the ruler. The fact is very apparent that had the Queen consented to reinstatement without a guarantee of continued support from this government, that Mr. Cleveland could not have achieved his purpose in the face of an armed resistance on the part of the Provisional government, for that would have been an act of war, and the President is not authorized to engage in war without the consent of congress. It is therefore, we think, decidedly ungallant in Mr. Cleveland to attribute his fiasco to the natural and sensible action of the Queen, when, as a matter of fact, he ought to be very thankful to her for affording him an additional excuse for retiring from an enterprise which lacked from the beginning the least semblance of practicability.

The concluding sentence of the message is significant, in that it embodies a threat that in case congress does not view this matter in the way he has outlined it, that he will refuse to approve the action taken. It reads as follows:

"In commending this subject to the extended powers and wide discretion of congress, I desire to add the assurance that I shall be much gratified to cooperate in any legislative plan which may be devised for a solution of the problem before the United States, which is consistent with American honor, integrity and morality."

From this it appears that the President is somewhat apprehensive that congress will do something not consistent with national honor, integrity and morality, and the gentle hint is thrown out to guard against any possible mistake on that point. Unfortunately the possibility of a difference of opinion as to the kind of action which would be consistent with national honor, integrity and morality still remains.

COMMENTING on a letter from Congressman Bowers, in which he expresses his determination to "stay with" congress on the proposition that the government should indemnify the West Side settlers in the event that a final decision is given against them in the land contest cases, the Tulare Register says:

We have no disposition to deprive Mr. Bowers of this opportunity to reassure his constituents of his sympathy for them in their distress and his entire willingness to do all within his power to shield them from loss, but despite his professions of sympathy and protestations against a seeming injustice, we shall hold to the advice we originally gave the West Side settlers to fight their case to final decision, but waste no time or money on the vain hope that their government will ever indemnify them further than to refund to them money actually received from them.

The Register appears to have overlooked the fact that Mr. Huntington has advised congress as to its duty in the premises. It is good advice, too, with the exception that the railroad company should figure as the party asking for indemnity. Under the present status of the cases that would have been more consistent.

ARIZONA BILL is now the leading attraction in the congressional Midway Plaisance, excepting the pathetic tongue pictures of poor Lilinokalani stripped of her queenly robes in midwinter. Arizona Bill has just finished a successful round-up of the house, and is now circling around the senate in a cloud of dust and a volume of shouts which drive terror to the stoutest hearts. Of course he will carry the day.

OUR evening contemporary kindly refers to the American spirit in Hawaii as "bastard patriotism." That being the case, the unfortunate people over there appear in an unpleasant situation, located between the deep sea of bastard sentiment and the devil of a bastard royalty. A deplorable position, indeed.

THE chief of police of Stockton claims to have refused an offer of $72 a week to allow the Chinese gambling games to run in that city. The chief will doubtless be on exhibition at the Midwinter Fair.

THERE must be something wrong with the stuffing in the prophet, judging by the way that prediction about returning prosperity and the repeal of the silver purchase act is panning out.

"WHAT I Don't know About Making Monarchies" would be an appropriate title to Grover's long and painful special message to congress yesterday.

POULTRY RAISING.

"The Old Deacon" Still Favors Small Flocks.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—I wish to correct an error in my former communication. In reading five hens will lay more eggs than twenty-five, read "than fifty-five." Now, as to breeding and raising poultry.

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THE OLD DEACON.

DIED.

CATE—At the residence of George A. Cate, near this city, December 16, 1893, Mrs. Sarn J. Cate (of Hamilton, Ill., aged 81 years and 10 months.

Burial will take place at Hamilton, Ill. (San Jose, Cal., and Hamilton, Ills., papers please copy.)

BORN.

GREEK—At Riverside, Fresno county, December 18, 1893, to the wife of F. H. Green, a daughter.

TAGGERT—In Fresno colony, December 17, 1893, to the wife of T. W. Taggert, a daughter.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The following transfers of real estate were recorded yesterday:

Jay Scott, sheriff, to D. W. Parkhurst, lots 1 and 2, blk 242, Parkhurst's add to Fresno, $700.

Same to Same, lots 27 to 32, blk 136, Parkhurst's add to Fresno, $800.

Same to Same, lots 7, 8 and 9, blk 35, Parkhurst's add to Fresno, $750.

Edmund Y. Garetto et ux, to Charles C. Johnson, lots 8 and 9, blk 6, Parkhurst's South Villa add to Sanger, $975.

Orlo C. Combs to Thomas G. Worth et ux, sw¼ of nw¼ of sec 18, t 14 s, r 17 e, $5.

W. J. Laymance to M. Lamond, lot 103 in subdivision of sec 32, t 14 s, r 14 e, $10.

M. J. Laymance to M. Lamond, lots 166, 104, 109 and 107, in subdivision of sec 32, t 14 s, r 14 e, $10.

J. F. Kimble et ux to Maxie R. Smith, lot 2, Kimble colony, $1400.

Nancy L. Johnston to J. F. Johnston, s¾ of s½ of sw¼ of sec 26, t 11 s, r 20 e; also se¼ of ne¼ of se¼ of sec 26, t 11 s, r 20 e, $5 00.

United States to George L. Miller, sw¼ of sec 31, t 19 s, r 22 e.

Jacob S. Babreck to M. Theodore Kearney, lots 374, 375 and 420, Fruit Vale estate, $2.

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NOTICE—THERE ARE DELINQUENT UPON the following described stock on account of assessment levied on the 1st day of November, 1893, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

NAME	No. CERT.	SHARES	AMT
F. C. Fredrickson	5	5	$50 00
F. J. Willms	6	10	100 00
Mrs. A. Crone	15	1	10 00
S. E. Long	32	5	50 00
Estate Isabella Cooley	38	5	50 00
J. H. Strodemeyer	41	1	10 00
G. Y. Williams	61	3	30 00
Wm. L. Reed	63	10	100 00

And in accordance with law, and on order of the Board of Directors, made on the 1st day of November, 1893, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, room 58, Flood building, corner Market and Fourth streets, San Francisco, California, on Wednesday, the 27th day of December, 1893, at the hour of 3 o'clock p.m. of said day, to pay delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

J. G. JENNINGS, Secretary.

Office of secretary, 723 Market street, San Francisco, California. d618

Notice to Creditors.

Superior Court, County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John F. G. Douglas, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDERSIGNED, administrator of the above named decedent, to the creditors and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator personally or at the office of Everts & Ewing, over the First National bank, rooms 3 and 4, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

G. A. EVERTS,
Administrator of the estate of John F. G. Douglas, deceased.

Dated December 16th, 1893. d17t30

Notice of Sale of Stock to Pay Delinquent Assessment.

Office of I Street Improvement Company, Fresno City, California.

NOTICE—THERE IS DELINQUENT UPON the following described stock, on account of assessment levied November 11th, 1893, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective stockholders:

	No. CERT.	SHARES.	AMT.
O. J. Woodward, trustee	117, 118, 119	3	$30 00
Geo. Elliott	87	1	10 00
W. W. Shipp	65	4	40 00
E. P. Ostman, trustee	80, 81	5	50 00
M. J. Donahoo	85	5	50 00
H. D. Colson, Hedges	115, 121	6	60 00
J. F. Vincent	21, 111	10½	61 65

And in accordance with law so many shares of each parcel of said stock as may be necessary to pay delinquent assessment and costs of sale, will be sold at the office of the said I Street improvement company, rooms 7 and 8, Fresno Loan and Savings bank building, corner I and Mariposa streets, Fresno, California, at the hour of 12 m., on Saturday, January 6th, 1894.

G. N. FREMAN,
Secretary I Street Improvement Company. d18td

Delinquent Notice.

La Favorita Raisin Vineyard Company, Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California. Location of property, Fresno county, California.

NOTICE—THERE ARE DELINQUENT UPON the following described stock on account of assessment levied on the 2d day of November, 1893, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

NAMES	No. CERT.	No. SH'RS	AMT
E. C. Dunn	101	10	$100
C. E. Knapp	93	20	200
Helen Faith	97	5	50
Columbian Banking Co.	96	20	400
J. E. Higgins	92	10	200
J. E. Higgins	92	10	200
J. E. Higgins	90	5	100
Mrs. L. M. Dunn	23	5	100
N. J. Bird	83	6	120
N. J. Bird	83	10	200
N. J. Bird	87	10	200
N. J. Bird	85	1	25
W. W. Boughton	83	40	800
W. W. Boughton	8	20	400
Nellie O'Laughlin	82	5	100
Nellie O'Laughlin	69	5	100
C. S. Amidon	80	5	100
Etta Amidon	79	5	100
John C. & E. Colemun	74	20	400
E. A. Gould	78	3	60
Mary C. Beaton	64	5	100
Mary C. Beaton	65	2	40
C. W. Broadbent	50	5	100
C. W. Broadbent	51	5	100
C. W. Broadbent	52	5	100
N. J. Bird, trustee	47	8	160
N. J. Bird, trustee	48	5	100
N. J. Bird, trustee	49	5	100
N. J. Bird, trustee	50	5	100
N. J. Bird, trustee	13	5	100
N. J. Bird, trustee	11	5	100
Robert Husband	3	20	400

And in accordance with law and on order of the Board of Directors, made on the 2d day of November, 1893, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the treasurer, J. E. Higgins, Nos. 18 and 20 Sansome street, San Francisco, Cal., on Saturday, the 30th day of December, 1893, at the hour of 1 o'clock p.m. of said day, to pay delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale. W. W. BOUGHTON, Secretary.

Office, No. 119 Bush street, room 2, San Francisco, California. d16t30

Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

Jay Spaulding, plaintiff, vs.- William F. Wolters and Mary C. Wolters, defendants.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE of foreclosure and order of sale, issued out of the Superior Court of Fresno County, State of California, on the 16th day of August, A. D. 1893, in the above entitled action, wherein Jay Spaulding, plaintiff above named, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against William F. Wolters and Mary C. Wolters, defendants in said action, on the 16th day of August, A.D. 1893, for two hundred, fifty-six and 10-100 dollars ($256.10), in gold coin of the United states, besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was on said 16th day of August, 1893, duly entered and recorded in the records of said court, I am commanded to sell all those certain lots of land situate in Fresno County, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots number eight (8) and nine (9) in block number fifteen (15) of Grand Avenue Park, according to official map of said Grand Avenue Park now on file in office of County Recorder of said County of Fresno.

Public notice is hereby given that on Monday, the 18th day of December, A. D. 1893, at 12 o'clock m., of that day, in front of the court house door in the City of Fresno, said County of Fresno, I will, in obedience to said decree of foreclosure and sale, sell above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, to highest and best bidder, for gold coin of United States.

Dated, November 9, 1893.

W. H. SPENCER,
Commissioner appointed by the Court in said action.
Stuart S. Wright, Attorney for Plaintiff. pl1td

The above sale is hereby postponed until December 29th, 1893, at the same hour and place.

W. H. SPENCER,
Commissioner appointed by the Court in said action.

Fresno, December 9th, 1893. d10t19

Sheriff's Sale.

No. 2612.

Superior Court, County of Fresno.

Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale.

A. E. D. Scott, Plaintiff, vs. G. R. G. Glenn, defendant.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, of State of California, on the 11th day of December, A. D. 1893, in the above entitled action, wherein G. R. G. Glenn, the above named defendant, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against A. E. D. Scott, Samuel McMinn, C. W. Cutten, L. L. Gratinger, W. N. Lee and S. G. Boyd, defendants, in the cross-complaint, on the 11th day of September, A. D. 1891, for the sum of seventeen hundred and fifty-seven and 7-100 dollars, in gold coin of the United States, besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was on the 7th day of September, A. D. 1891, recorded in Decree book Vol. 4, of said court, at page 563, I am commanded to sell all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Fresno, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots No. seventeen (17), eighteen (18), nineteen (19) and twenty (20), in block numbered 14, of the town, (now city) of Fresno, State of California, according to the official map of said town, now on file and of record in the office of the County Recorder of the said County of Fresno, State of California.

Public notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of December, A.D. 1893, at 11 o'clock a.m. of that day, in front of the court house door of the County of Fresno, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, Cal., December 2, 1893.

JAY SCOTT, Sheriff.
By F. T. BERRY, Under Sheriff.
Mr. J. P. Maux, attorney for G. R. G. Glenn. d8t

Notice of Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN PURSUANCE of an order of the Superior Court, of the County of Alameda, State of California, made on the 29th day of May, 1893, in the matter of the estate of Ella Pushie, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator of said estate, will sell to the highest bidder, for cash, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, at public auction, on Wednesday, the 20th day of December, 1893, at 11 o'clock a.m., at the court house door, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, all the right, title, and interest of the said Ella Pushie, deceased, at the time of her death, and all the right, title and interest that the said estate has, by operation of law or otherwise, acquired other than or in addition to that of the said Ella Pushie at the time of her death, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, particularly described as follows, to-wit:

First. Lots Nos. 21 and 24, in block No. 10, as per official map of said City of Fresno.

Second. Lots Nos. 22 and 23, in block No. 10 of Woolworth's Addition to the said city of Fresno, according to maps on file in the Recorder's office of said County of Fresno.

Said property stands of record in the name of Ella McGary, the maiden name of said deceased, having been acquired by her before her marriage.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash, ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid to the auctioneer on the day of sale, balance on confirmation of sale by said Superior Court; deed at expense of purchaser.

NATHAN PUSHIE,
Administrator of the estate of Ella Pushie, deceased.

W. H. Barrows, 118 Phelan building, San Francisco, attorney for said estate.

Dated, November 24, 1893. n28td

Notice of Time Appointed for Proving Will.

In the Superior Court in and for the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John Shafer, deceased.

Notice for publication of time appointed for proving will, etc.

Pursuant to an order of the Judge and clerk of said court made on the 12th day of December, 1893,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SATURday, the 23d day of December, 1893, at 10 o'clock a.m. of said day, at the court room of said court, Department No. 3, at the court house in the City of Fresno, in said County of Fresno, has been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said John Shafer, deceased, and for hearing the application of John Sutherland for the issuance to him of letters of administration with the will annexed when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, November 29, 1893.

W. A. SHEPHERD, Clerk.
By L. R. WILLIAMS, Deputy Clerk. n30td

Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of the estate of Hermann Kuendel (also known as Herrman Kundel), deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNDERSIGNED, G. A. Everts, administrator of the estate of Hermann Kuendel (also known as Herrman Kundel), deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said deceased to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator personally, in the city of Fresno, or to the offices of Everts & Ewing, in the First National Bank building, in the said city of Fresno, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Fresno, State of California.

Dated December 8th, 1893.

G. A. EVERTS,
Administrator of the estate of Hermann Kuendel (also known as Herrman Kundel) deceased. d8t30

Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

William M. Raymor, as guardian of the estate of Harry O. Raymor, a minor, plaintiff, vs. L. A. Spencer, as administrator of the estate of Frank E. Tadlock, deceased, A. F. Baker, H. B. Choice, H. D. Colson, J. W. Ferguson, Alice Amanda Camy (widow), John Doe and Richard Roe, defendants.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE of foreclosure and order of sale, issued out of the Superior Court of Fresno County, State of California, on the 6th day of November, A.D. 1893, in the above entitled action, wherein William M. Raymor, as guardian of the estate of Harry O. Raymor, a minor, plaintiff above named, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against L. A. Spencer, as administrator of the estate of Frank E. Tadlock, deceased, A. F. Baker, H. B. Choice, H. D. Colson, J. W. Ferguson and Alice Amanda Camy (widow), defendants in said action, on 8th day of November, A. D. 1893, for two thousand, two hundred and ninety and 28-100 dollars ($2290.28), in gold coin of the United States, besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was, on the 8th day of November, 1893, duly entered and recorded in the records of said court, I am commanded to sell all those certain lots of land situate in Fresno County, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

First—The southwest quarter of southwest quarter (sw¼ of sw¼) of section twenty-nine (29), in township thirteen (13) south of range nineteen (19) east, M. D. B. & M.

Second—All of lot number six (6), of block "A" of the Eastern addition to the City of Fresno, according to the map of said addition on file and of record in office of County Recorder of said Fresno County.

Public notice is hereby given that on 9th day of December, A.D. 1893, at 12 o'clock m., of that day, in front of the court house door, in the City of Fresno, said Fresno County, I will, in obedience to said decree of foreclosure and order of sale, sell above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and accruing costs, to highest and best bidder, for gold coin of United States.

Dated, November 9, 1893.

W. H. SPENCER,
Commissioner appointed by the Court in said action.
Stuart S. Wright, Attorney for Plaintiff. pl1td

The above sale is hereby postponed until December 19th, 1893, at the same hour and place.

W. H. SPENCER,
Commissioner appointed by the Court in said action.

Fresno, December 9th, 1893. d10t19

Sheriff's Sale.

No. 2612.

Superior Court, County of Fresno.

Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale.

A. E. D. Scott, Plaintiff, vs. G. R. G. Glenn, defendant.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, of State of California, on the 11th day of December, A. D. 1893, in the above entitled action, wherein G. R. G. Glenn, the above named defendant, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against A. E. D. Scott, Samuel McMinn, C. W. Cutten, L. L. Gratinger, W. N. Lee and S. G. Boyd, defendants, in the cross-complaint, on the 11th day of September, A. D. 1891, for the sum of seventeen hundred and fifty-seven and 7-100 dollars, in gold coin of the United States, besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was, on the 7th day of September, A. D. 1891, recorded in Decree book Vol. 4, of said court, at page 563, I am commanded to sell all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the County

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SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY

TRAINS LEAVE FRESNO DAILY:

1.25 A.M.—LOS ANGELES EXPRESS—For Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, San Bernardino and Riverside.
3.00 A.M.—EXPRESS—For Collis, Modoto, Newman, San Francisco, Sacramento and North.
3.20 A.M.—FRESNO LOCAL—For Merced, San Francisco and way points.
6.00 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Wednesday only, for Sanger Junction, Reedley, Porterville and Posa.
7.00 A. M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily, for Selma, Traver, Goshen Junction and Tulare.
7.30 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily, except Sunday and Wednesday, for Porterville and way stations.
8.15 A. M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily, for Lathrop and all way stations.
10.15 A. M.—MIXED TRAIN—For Polinsky and all way stations. Arrives at Fresno returning at 4.0 p m.
12.10 P.M.—EXPRESS—For Merced, San Francisco, Sacramento, Portland, Ogden and East.
80 P.M. DAILY—For Sanger Junction, Reedley, Porterville and way stations.
5.50 P.M.—SUNSET ROUTE ATLANTIC EXPRESS—For Los Angeles, New Orleans and East.

RICH CRAY, Gen. Traffic Manager.
T. H. GOODMAN, Gen. Pass. Agent.

U. S. Department of Agriculture.
Weather Bureau

FRESNO, Dec. 18.—Observation taken at 5 p.m

Temperature	52
Dew Point	38
Humidity, per cent	87
Wind, N, miles per hour	2
Maximum temperature for past 24 hours	63
Minimum temperature for past 24 hours	42
Rainfall past 24 hours, inches	.10
Total rainfall for season, inches	.31

Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Official forecast for thirty-six hours, ending at 8 a. m. December 20.—Northern California—Fair but cloudy to partly cloudy weather, except clearing weather about Fresno; nearly stationary temperature, followed by a slight rise; light winds, becoming southerly.

EVENTS.

TO COME.

December 21—Grand Military entertainment at Barton opera house.
December 22—Katie Putnam in "Little Maverick," at the Barton.
December 25—Christmas.
December 26—Headaches.
December 26—Barlow Brothers' Minstrels at the Barton.
December 27—Charles Dickson in "Admitted to the Bar," at the Barton.
December 29—Masquerade ball of Fresno Volunteer Fire Department at Armory hall.
January 1—Day of general reform and swearing off.
January 1—Promenade concert for the benefit of the Fresno County Midwinter Fair fund.
January 3—Meeting of the Board of Supervisors.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Cartons!
Cartons!
Raisin Cartons
At Hobbs & Parsons'.

Sperry's flour is best.

Buy a home for $1.00.

Hammond & Bates. Seed, feed.

Hall Bros., undertakers, 1027 J street.

Wanted—More turkeys at Blackler's.

Wood and coal. Horsey & Parker, 856 J street. Telephone 15.

Xmas cigars. Buy a box for your friends at Levy & Langley's, 1048 I st.

Now is the time to subscribe to the Midwinter Fair fund and THE REPUBLICAN.

Sadie Baldwin was granted a divorce from N. J. Baldwin yesterday on the ground of desertion.

Remember your friends Christmas by sending them some of those fine raisin cartons to be had at Hobbs & Parsons.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Congregational church will meet at the church parlors this afternoon at 2 p.m.

The case of the People vs. Cliff Regan was continued by Judge Harris yesterday without date and reduced his bail to $500.

Remember the Midwinter Fair Promenade concert at Armory hall New Year's evening and assist the cause by lending your presence.

Beautiful raisin cartons and fancy boxes of candy especially for the holidays at Norton & Schuttler's candy parlors, 1139 J street.

H. G. Warner has an unusually elegant and attractive line of fine jewelry for the holidays. See his prices before purchasing elsewhere.

The many friends of S. N. Smith will be pained to learn that his wife died at 12:20 o'clock this morning. Notice of the funeral hereafter.

A new parlor of the Native Sons will be organized in this city tomorrow evening at Edgerly hall. About 100 names are on the charter roll.

The promenade concert to be given on the evening of January 1, for the benefit of the Fresno county Midwinter Fair fund will be a brilliant event.

Owing to an accident to the electric light at the K street M. E. church, the children's entertainment has been postponed till further notice.

The nicest and neatest thing to mail to an eastern friend is one of those one-pound fig cartons. Something fancy. See them at Hobbs & Parsons'.

Noble Bros.' prize raisins for sale at their office, 1332 Tulare street, and at J. C. Nourse's. No better Christmas present to send East than these raisins.

Entertainment and Christmas tree of the Fresno Kindergarten will be held in DeWitt hall, on I street, Friday evening, Dec. 22d. Admission 25c, children 10c.

Mrs. N. P. Harris of Fowler, who has been spending a few weeks at Dr. Hare's sanitarium, returned to her home yesterday very much improved in health.

Tickets have been put on sale at the jewelry stores and drug stores for the Midwinter Fair Promenade concert. Supply yourself in advance and avoid the rush at the entrance.

Chris Evans came before Judge Harris yesterday morning for sentence, but owing to the fact that the transcripts were not completed, the matter was continued at the request of Evans' attorneys to January 4, 1892, and Chris will take his holiday dinner at Sheriff Scott's rotisserie.

The Guaranteed Cure for all Sick Headaches
Neuralgia or nervous headaches
is Bromo-Seltzer. Trial bottle 10c.

Fresno Souvenirs at C. H. Riege's.
Fine photographs showing a bird's-eye view of Fresno, also a view of Mariposa street with the court house. *

Just Received!
A load of choice mountain apples, mountain apples. Seropian Bros., opposite city hall. *

Answered.
A full line of Xmas goods
At South & Fentem's
With prices to suit the times. *

Cleveland's Baking Powder
Pure and Sure.
is made of pure ingredients, that is why it is wholesome.
Cleveland's Baking Powder
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is scientifically compounded, that is why it is strong.
Cleveland's Baking Powder
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does more work and does it better than any other. Reasons enough why you should buy
Cleveland's Baking Powder
Pure and Sure.

THE SEWER SYSTEM

Before the City Trustees Last Night.

ORDINANCE AGAINST BARB WIRE

The Republican Selected as the City Official Paper for 1894.

The Board of City Trustees met last night at the usual hour, all members being present.

The petition of Charles Mayer for a license to run a saloon on Mariposa street at Fritz Luckeman's old stand was received and passed first reading and laid over under the rule.

The petition of Ernst Young to remove his saloon from the corner of Tulare and J streets to the corner of Tulare and I streets, in the same block, came up on second reading and was granted.

The petition of M. R. Mendoza for permission to change the location of his saloon to the corner of Merced and F streets, and the petition of A. L. Dias for permission to change location of his saloon also came up in the same manner and were granted.

The notice of the election of officers of the Fresno volunteer fire department was presented and filed and on motion the election was ratified and the several officers named were approved and declared elected.

The city attorney reported an ordinance on Sunday closing of all business within city limits, with certain exceptions, as directed by the board, which was received and placed on file.

The city attorney and city engineer made partial report on the proposition of the city owning its own plant for furnishing light and water and asked that the time be extended thirty days in which to report more fully, which was granted.

On motion and for reasons stated, a resolution was passed exempting vegetable peddlers from license for the present.

The bill of Sheriff Scott in the sum of $126.44 for the board of city prisoners, was allowed and ordered paid.

Thomas E. Hughes presented a request to the board that lots Nos. 17, 18 and 19, and also the space 40x80 feet between the Masonic temple and the alley adjoining the Edgerly block be excluded from the fire limits, on the ground that he could negotiate a sale thereof on those conditions, and the board granted his request.

He also applied for an electric arc light at the intersection of I and Tulare streets, and on motion of Trustee Spinney it was ordered that, as soon as the postoffice was removed to the new quarters in the Edgerly block, the arc light now in front of the postoffice should be removed to the Hughes hotel corner.

Mr. Craycroft offered a resolution that, owing to the enormous expense that would be involved in securing plants for furnishing light and water for the city, the distressed state of the money market and the high rate of interest bonds would have to secure in order to float them, and the fact that the agitation of the question tended to deter the local water company and gas and electric light company from extending contemplated improvements, that the matter be abandoned for the present. Carried.

Mr. Craycroft moved that, in view of the fact that the proposition to extend the sewer system to the southeastern portion of the city had been voted down within the present year, and that the matter is being again agitated, that the expense must be paid out of the depleted general fund with little assurance of a change of the decision of the decision of the people, and for other reasons presented in the previous motion, that this matter also be postponed indefinitely.

J. W. Ferguson then addressed the board at length and with vehemence. He claimed that the southeastern portion of the city paid a large portion of the taxes for the benefit of the northeastern portion of the town, which had everything there was in the line of improvement.

The southeastern portion of the city, including Woodward's addition, which was brought in on false pretenses, got nothing, not even the main streets sprinkled. He did once, last spring, have the pleasure of seeing Officer Mernin patrol through that suburb, but since then no member of the municipal constabulary had gladdened their eyes.

He alleged that the needed sewering of that portion of the city was voted down through the selfishness of the citizens of the more favored portion and the clam-like tactics of the trustee of that ward. He desired to know if the board was engaged in a project to "bear" real estate values in his part of the town in order to "bull" values on the north side.

He intimated that it was about time to begin looking after the general good of the city instead of the special interests of a few in one locality, and either to give them sewers in return for taxes paid or else allow that portion of the city to secede from the corporation.

Mr. Spinney stated that his constituency in the gory Fifth ward were in the same condition with regard to sewers, and upon a call of the roll the resolution against present agitation prevailed by a vote of 4 to 1, Mr. Spinney in the negative.

The ordinance making it a misdemeanor to erect or maintain barb-wire fences inside the city limits came up on second reading and was passed by unanimous vote.

On motion a warrant was ordered drawn on the bond fund for $5000, in payment of bond No. 4.

It was announced that all permits to store powder, coal oil, gasoline and other explosives expired with that day—December 18th—and that all persons having explosives stored inside the city limits contrary to the existing ordinances would be liable to arrest this morning, as none of them had applied for a new license.

The board then proceeded to open bids for the city printing and advertising for the ensuing year. Bids were received from THE DAILY REPUBLICAN and Daily Expositor, and after comparison of figures the contracts were awarded to THE REPUBLICAN, it having made the lowest and best bid.

Mr. Craycroft then called up the ordinance reported by the city attorney on Sunday closing, which was read. The ordinance provided for the closing of all business of every kind on Sunday except hotels, boarding houses, lodging houses, restaurants, livery stables, drug stores, bakeries, markets and certain other indispensible avocations, such as water works, gas works, etc.

Mr. Craycroft moved that the ordinance pass the first reading, owing to the fact that there had been a petition filed to that effect. This would bring out a remonstrance from those opposed.

Mr. Herrington courteously seconded the motion and then assisted in voting it down.

Mr. Adams then moved to reject the ordinance.

Mr. Spinney seconded the motion and the motion prevailed.

The street superintendent called attention to the fact that there was no opening across the reservation north of the depot, and after some discussion the matter was referred to the sewer committee with power to act, and the board adjourned.

Foresters Elect Officers.

The local grove of Ancient Order of Foresters of America elected the following officers last night:

Bruce D. Goodrich, D. R.; W. Y. Johnson, S. O. R.; D. A. Williams, treasurer; F. E. Hoppock, financial secretary; O. T. Sierra, recording secretary; W. R. Mahoney, S. W.; J. E. White, J. W.; William Renfro, S. F.; F. S. Cowan, J. B.; W. W. Cochran, trustee; Dr. J. L. Maupin, physician.

These officers will be installed at the next regular meeting, to be held on the evening of January 8th, at which time the Grand Officers will be in attendance.

COMING ATTRACTIONS.

"The Little Maverick" at the Barton Opera House Friday.

The merry little comedienne, Miss Katie Putnam, in "The Little Maverick," will be the attraction at the Barton Friday, December 22d. The San Francisco Daily Report says:

Katie Putnam and her comedy company opened at the Stockwell last night to a good house and made a most favorable impression. Her play is "The Little Maverick," which has given more than one subrette an opportunity to display her talents. Miss Putnam avails herself of this opportunity, and in the title role, which greatly resembles that of Bessie in "A Texas Steer," she affects an audience to demonstrative laughter by her method of simulating illiteracy. She is the wild, untamed damsel from the Lone Star state, and when she finds herself in swell society she shocks people by her unconventional manners. She is surrounded by a good company. Lew Hart is clever as Peter Bunker of Texas, who rounds up the capitals of Europe, and Gus Cohen shows himself to be a proficient comedian in the character of Hans Strauss. Songs and dances are interspersed throughout the play, and the action is lively from beginning to end.

BARLOW BROTHERS.

Barlow Brothers' Mammoth Minstrel company comes to the Barton opera house Tuesday, December 26th.

CHARLES DICKSON.

The new American drama, "Admitted to the Bar," by Messrs. Doblin & Klein, will be presented Wednesday, December 27th.

ON THE DIAMOND.

THE REPUBLICANS WIN ANOTHER GAME.

Signal Defeat of the Athletic Club Nine Sunday—The Score.

THE REPUBLICANS again proved their superiority on the diamond last Sunday, defeating the Athletics easily. The game was witnessed by about 300 people. The Athletics started out well, which put the THE REPUBLICANS on their mettle, but they did not last, and the latter nine had things their own way after the first inning or two. However, the Athletics did well, considering that they had had but little practice.

When the game was called it was found that the Athletics had no pitcher, Freman refusing to pitch because he had not been notified in time to get in condition. Rather than see the game a failure, Edward Hamilton consented to occupy the box, and pitched well for five innings, when Freman was substituted. As it has been almost a year since Hal has pitched a game, THE REPUBLICANS found his delivery an easy mark.

At the beginning of the seventh Andrew Duncan took the box, and did a little better, but THE REPUBLICANS made two runs off of him, making the score 18 to 6. The Athletics, seeing they had no chance to win, decided to quit.

The large attendance showed that the interest in baseball has been revived, and if the boys improve their playing, it will be permanent. Chance was highly complimented for his excellent work in the bat. THE REPUBLICANS also did very well at the box. The score is follows:

THE REPUBLICANS.

	A.	R.	BH.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
G. Machen, 3b	5	2	0	0	0	0	1
F. Chance, p	4	1	1	1	1	1	0
P. Donahoe, 1b	5	3	2	0	5	0	1
B. Hayes, ss	5	3	3	0	0	2	2
R. Monroe, 2b	5	0	0	0	1	0	0
H. Gilbert, c f	4	3	1	0	0	0	0
R. Cardwell, c	3	3	2	2	11	3	1
H. Rapelje, r f	4	1	1	2	0	0	0
W. Monroe, l f	4	2	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	39	18	11	5	18	6	6

ATHLETICS.

	A.B.	R.	BH.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Chamberlain, lf	3	1	0	1	0	0	0
Haman, c	2	1	1	1	1	1	1
A. Duncan, p & cf	2	0	0	1	7	0	1
Hamilton, ss & p	3	0	0	1	0	1	3
Porter, 2b	2	0	0	1	4	2	2
M. Duncan, 3b	3	1	2	2	1	0	1
Manning, c f	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Le Blanc, r f	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Freman, ss, p & 1b	2	0	0	1	1	3	2
Totals	22	6	0	8	21	8	12

RUNS BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Republicans	0	5	2	3	4	2	2	18
Athletics	2	0	2	1	1	0	0	6

Three-base hits—Donahoe and Hayes. Two-base hits—Hayes and Cardwell. Bases on called balls—Republicans 3, Athletics 5. Struck out—By Chance 11, by Hamilton 1, by Freman 2. Hit by pitcher—Haman. Wild pitches—Chance 3, Hamilton 1. Passed balls—Haman 3, Cardwell 6. Umpire—A. Brown.

NOTES.

Hermie Gilbert is the Dan Sweeney of the San Joaquin.

It was pleasing to see Billie Monroe on the diamond field again.

Frank Chance added fourteen strikeouts to his already good record.

Scorer Packard was ably assisted in his work by a fair haired maiden.

The Athletics will play a much better game after another week's practice.

A. H. Brown filled the difficult position of umpire with satisfaction to all.

Porter of the Athletics sang the rules to a whisper, and played second base as well.

Bert Hayes won the admiration of the spectators by making a long slide to third.

Colonel Smutz's dog Bird aided materially in the victory of THE REPUBLICANS.

"White Shirt" Tommy Manning did his best to win the game for the Athletics.

Pete Donahoe was not tall enough to reach a number of balls thrown to him on first base.

The rooters left their fog-horn voices at home, consequently the game proceeded quietly.

THE REPUBLICANS had their batting eyes with them, batting three pitchers out of the box.

Handsome Tom LeBlanc did not put up his usual game, but promises to do better next time.

A broad grin was noticeable on the face of Manager Glass as the stalwart Athletics went down before his boys.

"Gimlet" Chamberlin took first base on balls with as much delight as a Missourian would devour a pumpkin pie.

THE MIDWINTER FAIR

Meeting of the Executive Committee.

A HANDSOME PLAN ADOPTED

For the Building for Fresno County's Exhibit—More Contributions.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Fresno County Midwinter Fair Association and the Fresno County Commissioners was held last evening at the office of Fulton G. Berry. Mr. Berry, chairman of the committee, having returned from San Francisco, presided. Louis Gundelfinger acted as secretary in the absence of Secretary Alex Goldstein.

The chief subject of discussion was the building in which Fresno county's exhibit is to be displayed. Mr. Berry had brought with him the plans and specifications, which were carefully examined by those present, and approved.

Owing to the space secured for our exhibit being circular, it was necessary to relinquish the court house model and obtain another plan.

The new building was designed by Architect Newsom, of San Francisco, who also designed the Horticultural and Agricultural building in which the Fresno county building will be erected. It was pronounced by the committee the handsomest architectural gem they had they had seen. It is circular in form, being supported by Corinthian pillars. The dome suggests that of this county's courthouse. The building will be finished on the outside in staff, a composition resembling marble, and the effect will be very rich and elegant.

The building will be about sixty feet high and fifty feet in diameter. Around it there will be a broad walk, which will in turn be surrounded by a circular strip of greensward planted with palms, ornamental shrubs of all kinds and flowers. There will also be two raised platforms for exhibits. The steps leading into the temple, for that will be the architectural character of the building, are to be of Fresno granite. The colored drawing of this beautiful building is expected by this evening's train, after which it will be placed on exhibition. Several bids for the construction of the building were received by the committee, but no action was taken.

The country sub-committees recently appointed by the executive committee to awaken enthusiasm and secure contributions of money and specimens of the county's products, seem to have been quite active and some favorable reports have been received. Nothing has been heard, however, from the school districts, which were asked to extend their support to the executive committee. It is hoped they have interested themselves in the fair.

As soon as General Barnes of San Francisco has been heard from there will be appointed a date for the holding of a mass meeting. The General will make one of his stirring speeches, and the people will be asked to show that they are interested in the success of the Fresno county exhibit by contributing liberally toward it. What is most needed now is money, and none who can afford it should fail to contribute to the fund.

The following contributions for the Fresno county Midwinter Fair exhibit were received yesterday:

J. A. Forsman, Citrus Hill orange grove, four miles north of Centerville, a box of handsome navel oranges from 3-year-old trees.

Mrs. Dougal Baird of Washington colony, a jar each of orange and grape marmalade.

Mott Bros. of Oleander, forty pounds of cluster raisins.

M. M. Parsons, a bunch of olives and a sack of the same.

Mrs. S. A. Ghent of Scandinavian colony, two jars of preserved blackberries.

Mrs. D. M. Wilson, a jar of quince jelly.

A. P. Blackler, fifty pounds of apples grown on 17-year-old trees.

E. R. Winters, West Park, a quantity of Winter Pearmain apples.

D. M. Wilson, a box of fine white apricots, dried.

J. P. Johnson, East avenue, an immense Chinese white radish.

Hammond & Bates, a jar each of Egyptian corn, beans, sugar cane seed and peas.

The handsomest private exhibit is made by Alex Gordon and Arch Grant of the Caledonia vineyard. It consists of a section of a pyramid about four feet high. There are four glass covered panels, in two of which are fine cluster raisins prettily decorated with ribbons. The other two contain choice faced raisins. The woodwork is of Fresno county wood.

There was a meeting of ladies at the Hughes Saturday afternoon to further discuss the promenade concert to be given on the night of January 1st for the benefit of the Midwinter Fair fund. Miss Nellie Boyd presided and Mrs. E. B. Rogers was secretary.

Committees were appointed to make arrangements for the event. An excellent program will be had the early part of evening, to be followed by dancing. The ladies are deeply interested in the affair and will spare no efforts in their attempt to make it a success.

It is hoped the people will lend their hearty co-operation and invest heavily in tickets for the entertainment. There will be no other social event that night to conflict with the promenade concert.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Mr. Preston, a San Jose newspaperman of ability, has been added to the Expositor staff as editorial writer. Mr. Preston entered upon his duties yesterday.

The young people of Fairview and Kutner school districts have formed a reading and social circle. They are now studying the "Courtship of Miles Standish."

Ladies intending to receive on New Years day and who desire to inform their friends to that effect, may do so through THE REPUBLICAN free of charge. Send name and time.

Charles E. Wilson is suffering from a crushed foot. A stove he was loading into a wagon slipped from his grasp and fell on his right foot. The injury is painful but not serious.

Warrants Payable.

All outstanding warrants registered prior to November 1, 1893, are now due and payable. Interest ceases from date of this notice. Thomas P. Nelson, Treasurer Fresno county.

Fresno, Cal., December 16, 1893. *

Awarded Highest Honors World's Fair
DR. PRICE'S Cream Baking Powder.
The only Pure Cream of Tartar Powder.—No Ammonia; No Alum.
Used in Millions of Homes—40 Years the Standard.

PERSONAL.

Miss L. L. Hines was here from Sanger yesterday.

Melbourne Russell was in from Bullerview yesterday.

Mrs. M. E. Wiegman came down from Madera last evening.

Max Frankenau was over from Sanger yesterday on business.

K. C. Johnson came down last night from the city of sluggers.

J. B. Morris will leave today for Selma to make his home there.

George L. Seybolt and wife of San Jose are visiting Fresno.

Thomas F. Miller, a Bakersfield business man, is in the city.

Charles Dornitzer of Spokane is spending a few days in Fresno.

Miss Nettie Brown of Woodland is visiting friends in this city.

Miss Alice Joslin of Antioch is visiting her friend, Miss Boone, at 805 K street.

A. C. Shaw, a Raymond merchant, spent yesterday in Fresno on business.

Mrs. W. R. Mahoney left on the noon train yesterday to visit friends in Madera.

Miss Nettie Tuck has returned from a protracted sojourn at her old home in Springfield, Mo.

T. J. Hammer of Los Angeles, one of the proprietors of the Hotel Gazette, was in Fresno yesterday.

F. F. Sherburne, prominent citizen of Walnut creek, Contra Costa county, is here on business.

George Miller, a prominent wheat farmer from the Coalinga country, was in the city yesterday.

Now Is Your Time.

It has been our wish to retire from business for some time past and we desire to make one more effort to do so, and as this is the season to remember one's friends and this season the price is one of the principal objects, it will pay all who wish good goods at prices unknown before in Fresno to look at our goods and prices. This is no device to make sales, but an honest appeal to the people of this valley to come and see for themselves. We will sell any line to the trade or sell fixtures of store at prices that will convince all. Country merchants are requested to call and get bargains. Thomas Yost & Son. *

Oranges and Lemons.

Seropian Bros. have recently shipped two carloads of Kings river oranges and lemons to Fresno, and are now loading another car at the depot here.—Sanger Herald.

Go to Seropian Bros., 1220-31 J street, for your holiday oranges and lemons. *

Notice.

Abducted Saturday night from Fresno a Chinese girl about 17 years old, very small face. She may be dressed in men's clothes or white girl's clothes. Name, Kin Sin. A reward of $100 will be given for the information leading to her recovery or $400 for her delivery to G. E. Wood or George Matheson, Fresno, Cal. *

Lash's Kidney and Liver Bitters does not stimulate to a false appetite, but gives a natural tone and strength to the whole alimentary canal. For sale by Baker & Colson.

Going to San Francisco through Stockton stop at the leading restaurant, the Cosmopolitan. There Mitrovich will have the pleasure of seeing you. *

All kinds of fresh and Eastern shell oysters at the City Bakery and Restaurant. *

The City Bakery and Restaurant, open all night, 1036 I st. Craig & Sanford. *

Hall's Hair Renewer prevents dandruff and stops the hair from falling.

The French Bakery has removed to 1318 K street, near Fresno street. *

All kinds of picture frames made to order at Thomas Yost & Son's. *

Sweet and drying paper, all kinds, at Donahoo, Emmons & Co.'s. *

Plumbing and tinning at Donahoo Emmons & Co.'s. *

Extra mince and pumpkin pies at the Vienna Bakery. *

Extra fine Boston Cream Bread at Vienna Bakery. *

Wagons, carts, below cost, at D., E. & Co.'s. *

Fine watch repairing at Thomas Yost & Son's. *

Sperry's Stockton flour has never been equaled. *

AMUSEMENTS

BARTON OPERA HOUSE—
R. G. BARTON, Business Manager

Thursday Evening, December 21st

—GRAND—

Military and Dramatic

ENTERTAINMENT.

THE GREAT BURLESQUE

Ancient Order of Hercules

—ALSO—

Exhibition Sword and Fancy Drill,

FENCING CONTESTS, ETC.

The most realistic battle scenes ever presented to a Fresno audience.
New scenery at great expense.

SEATS ON SALE AT BOX OFFICE MONDAY.

FOURTH ANNUAL
MASQUERADE BALL
GIVEN BY THE
Volunteer Fire Department
—ON—
Friday, Dec. 29, 1893
—AT—
ARMORY HALL.

Music by the Barton Opera House Orchestra. Concert by orchestra from 8:30 until the grand march.
Costumers from San Francisco will be in attendance several days prior to the ball.

HOLIDAY NECKWEAR
Reefers, Embroidered Suspenders, Mufflers and Suspender Mountings
—AT—
HART & LEVY'S
Grand Central Hotel Building.

KNOWLEDGE

Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrup of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50c and $1 bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

Christmas
IS ALMOST HERE.
We are already here with a full line of Holiday Goods, all new and of the latest style. Call and examine our line. No trouble to show goods.
Special low prices on Family Bibles.
HERBERT & BROOKS
Books and Stationery.
1161 J Street, two doors from the Postoffice.

MUST BE SOLD
During the Holidays.
The balance of my Crockery Stock, consisting principally of goods suitable for the Holidays. MUST BE SOLD. They are marked to SELL. Original cost cuts but little figure.
JOHN C. NOURSE.

GEO. EDWARDS, D.V.S.
Veterinary Surgeon, licensed to practice by State Veterinary Medical Board.
Treats all diseases with science and judgment of
Horses, Cattle and Dogs.
Expert in veterinary dentistry. Infirmary for lame and sick horses.
Office and Infirmary, 627 I street. Telephone 165. On hand day and night. Terms reasonable.

NOTICE.
Having removed to my old stand on I street, near corner of Kern, and fitted my shop up in first-class order, I am prepared to do all kinds of blacksmithing, wagon, carriage work and horseshoeing on short notice and at reasonable rates. I make sangplows and my style of wagons and buggies to order. I am also manufacturing and selling the well known Fresno pruning shears, which not should not fail to examine before buying; over 1461 pair now in use. I keep extras for the Imperial and Princess plows, also a stock of coal, iron and hard wood for sale. All my work is guaranteed. A share of your patronage is respectfully solicited.
R. B. JOHNSON.

IF YOU

This year attend the
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And next year you will have more power.
WE TEACH BUSINESS BRANCHES. STUDENTS ARE ENTERING EVERY WEEK.
WRITE FOR PARTICULARS.
W. C. RAMSEY,
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—IS FAMOUS FOR—
Choice Liquors
Corner Mono and G streets. Telephone No. 145
Family entrance on Mono street.
Meals served at all hours.

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Finest assortment of Watches, Clocks and Jewelry.
M. SAIER, 1729 Mariposa St.

THE LEADING DRY GOODS HOUSE OF FRESNO
W. McCallum & Co.
SOLE AGENTS FOR FOUSSI GLOVES—CORSET DEPOT FOR CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.
HEADQUARTERS FOR FAST BLACK HOSIERY
AN ARRAY OF USEFUL
PRESENTS
—FOR—
THE HOLIDAYS
Our stock of Holiday Goods is more complete than any previous season. Our prices are uniformly low.

Colored Dress Goods.
Magnificent assortment of Plain and Fancy Dress Goods at lowest prices.

Black Dress Goods.
All the new materials and weaves in Black Dress Goods at close prices.

Cloaks.
The most select Cloak stock in Fresno at prices which cannot be duplicated west of New York.

Blankets.
Large stock of Blankets from $1.50 to $15.00 a pair.
Comforters from $1.00 to $4.00 apiece.

Table Linen.
The largest and most complete stock of Table Linen ever shown in Fresno, at our well known popular prices.

Lace Curtains.
Lace Curtains from $1.00 to $9.00 a pair.

Handkerchiefs.
We are showing the most complete stock of Handkerchiefs ever shown in Fresno.
Ladies' Silk Handkerchiefs, plain and embroidered, 12½c, 20c or three for 50c, 50c, 65c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25 and $1.50 each.
Ladies' Lawn and Linen Handkerchiefs, from 5c to $1.00 each.
Gentlemen's White Silk Initial Handkerchiefs, all initials, 50c apiece.
Gentlemen's White Silk Initial Handkerchiefs, 75c apiece.
Large stock of Ladies' Kid Gloves, in button and hooks, dressed and undressed.
Complete lines of Ladies' Wool Hosiery.
Full line of Wool Goods, such as Shawls, Fascinators, etc.
Large assortment of Wool Goods for children, such as Hoods, Jackets, Caps, Mittens, etc.
Complete stock of Ladies' Wool Underwear, in separate garments and union suits.
Large assortment of Wool Underwear for Children and Misses at lowest prices.
Complete lines of Gentlemen's Underwear in Merino and all-wool at bedrock prices.
The best $1.00 Dress Shirt in America.
Full line of Suspenders, embroidered and plain, from 25c a pair.
Large assortment of Gents' Stylish Neckwear.
Store opens at 7 a. m.; Closes at 8.30 p. m.; Saturday at 10 p. m.
W. McCALLUM & CO.
Temple Bar Building, cor. Mariposa and K Sts.

WATCHES, DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, STERLING SILVER AND SILVER PLATED WARE.
G. NAHER
1829 Mariposa Street.
I am prepared to show as nice a line for
THE HOLIDAYS
As there is in the city, and at prices that speak for themselves.
☞ Watches and Jewelry carefully repaired and satisfaction guaranteed.

Don't fail to look into Show Window for H. C. Warner's
FINE DISPLAY OF
JEWELRY, DIAMONDS, WATCHES,
Silverware, Silk Umbrellas, Canes, Etc.
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Celebrated Pabst Milwaukee Beer!
The Finest Draught Beer on the Pacific Coast
The nicest and most centrally located place in the City of Fresno. Best brands of Wines, Brandies, Whiskeys and Cigars. All kinds of Delicacies always on hand. Prompt attention given to all orders.
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DRAWING TO A CLOSE!

Our Great Holiday Sale will end this week. It has been immensely successful, and we expect a visit from everybody during this Christmas week.

A BEAUTIFUL SOUVENIR WILL BE GIVEN AWAY WITH EVERY PURCHASE DURING THIS WEEK

Tremendous Reductions in all Departments.

Fancy Goods
For the Holidays.

SILK HANDKERCHIEFS!
White and Colored, embroidered with scalloped edge, good value at 20c; Holiday Sale Price, 10c.

White Lawn, embroidered, scalloped edge, former price 25c; Holiday Sale Price, 12½c.

A fine assortment of feathered, satin hand-painted Fans at from $1.50 to $5.00.

Ladies' crocheted and knit Skirts, extra good values at $1.50 and $3.00; Holiday Sale Price, 75c and $1.50.

Our Glove stock is the most complete ever shown in Fresno.

Cloaks
For the Holidays.

An immense number of Cloaks and Capes were sold during the past few weeks, but we still have left many stylish pieces in this department which we will sell during the week at 50 per cent less than such goods bring at other houses.

We will sell all our $9.00 and $10.00 Capes for $5.00 each.
Our $15.00 and $10.00 Capes will go at $7.50 and $8.00.
Our $18.00 and $20.00 Capes will be slaughtered at $9.00 and $10.00.
A corresponding reduction in Cloaks, Jackets and all garments in our Cloak Department.

☞ Every garment is positively of this year's make, new and stylish, and our assortment is the largest in the Valley, including all shades.

Dry Goods Department.

A fine line of Dress Patterns ranging in price from $3.00 to $15.00. A handsome Xmas gift.

All shades in Surah Silks, extra value, at 25c per yard.

A new invoice of all-wool novelties, 38-inch, which we offer at the exceedingly low figure of 40c per yard. A rare bargain.

Free gratis this week with every purchase in this department, a fine Door Mat, an article which every household should have.

We have a few of our choice California Woolen Mills Blankets, which have sold at the mills from $10.00 to $16.00; Our Holiday Sale Price, $7.00 to $10.00.

Shoe Dep't.
Slippers for the Holidays.

CHRISTMAS SLIPPERS!
Our entire assortment of embroidered Slippers will be sold this week at $1.25. These slippers have always been sold for $1.75, $2.00 and $2.50, and are hand turns, Silk and Chenille embroidered, all hand made. They are perfect beauties and come in all colors. Ladies should not fail to examine them, as they will make an elegant and useful Christmas gift. Call early while you have a large assortment and every size to select from.

WONDERFUL VALUES!
Cheaper grades of Slippers going at 60c, 75c and $1.00.

Clothing
For the Holidays.

We have had a big rush during the Holiday Sale in this department. We still have a few of those tailor-made London style, beautifully trimmed, boxed

OVERCOATS

Which cannot be bought in other stores for less than $18 to $20; Holiday Sale Price, $10.00.

Also a few of those elegant silk-lined, custom-made imported Corkscrew and Cheviot Prince Albert coats and vests, worth from $25 to $30; Holiday Sale Price, $14.50.

We invite all our customers and friends, which means everybody in Fresno and the San Joaquin Valley, to call during this week, before our Holiday Sale closes. We will save you money on your Holiday purchases and give you a Beautiful Souvenir besides.

Respectfully, **RADIN & KAMP,**

The White Front Stores

1027, 1029 and 1031 I Street, Fresno, Cal.

POOR MAN'S FRIEND.

Great Reduction
—IN—
GARMENTS!

In order to immediately reduce our extensive assortment of

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S JACKETS

We have made a general and

Sweeping Cut

From our present Low Prices, and every lady in search of a garment should not fail to see our elegant, well-fitting and stylish Jackets at the

Greatly Reduced Prices.

Handkerchiefs
For Holiday Gifts.

An immense assortment for

LADIES, CHILDREN AND GENTS

In Silk and Linen, plain and with initials, hem-stitched and embroidered, at all prices.

Kid Gloves
—IN—
Great Variety of Styles and Colors!

We are headquarters for Kid Gloves in Fresno, and this being one of the most acceptable and suitable of all

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We call particular attention to our gant assortment.

Maggioni Francesco Gloves,
In 5-Button and Mourquetaire, Black and colors, in all sizes.

Royal Hook Gloves,
In Suede and Dressed; the best laced Glove in the market, including all the new shades.

Avon 4-Button Gloves,
Stitched back and large buttons, an elegant fitting Glove, in Black, Tans, Grays, Modes, Green, Blue and Red assortments.

Minerva Suede Gloves,
In 8, 16 and 20-button lengths, full assortment of colors, including all evening shades.

DERBY GLOVES,
BIARRITY GLOVES,
FUR-TRIMMED GLOVES,
CHILDREN'S KID GLOVES.

Louis Einstein & Co.
PIONEER STORE
CARPETS AND HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS A SPECIALTY.

CLOSING OUT SALE!

NOLAN & SONS
1912 MARIPOSA STREET.
WILL CLOSE OUT THEIR STOCK OF

Fine Fitting Footwear

AT LESS THAN FACTORY PRICES.

Remember we are the only manufacturers and wholesale dealers who sell direct to the consumer, and Shoes will be sold at this sale for less than other stores pay for their goods.

Our own make cloth top or kid top, round toe or square toe, with all kinds of tips and all widths; reduced to.....$2.00

Also Ladies' Dongola Kid, round and square toes, patent leather tips..... 1.50

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S. J. TRIMBLE, Manager.

I do not Eat Pastry.

How often you hear this expression, and the explanation that usually follows: "I am troubled with dyspepsia." The explanation is not far to seek. In the past Lard has been used as the principal shortening in all pastry, the result—dyspepsia. The dyspeptic need no longer be troubled, providing

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is substituted for lard in the preparation of all food. It is composed strictly of highly refined vegetable oil and beef suet. When used as a shortening, it produces wholesome and healthful pastry. Physicians and expert cooks indorse it. Refuse substitutes.

Send three cents in stamps to N. K. Fairbank & Co., Chicago, for handsome Cottolene Cook Book, containing six hundred recipes, prepared by nine eminent authorities on cooking.

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The Furniture King

"Kings may be blessed, but Tam was glorious
O'er a' the ills of life victorious."

So wrote old Robbie Burns half a century ago, when kings were very great and the people very, very little. Today any man may be a king, and any king may find himself a man, just a plain every day man and no more.

W. Parker Lyon has become the Furniture King by the highest of all rights, the unanimous vote of the people, of whom he is one.

W. PARKER LYON,
1126, 1128, 1130, 1132 I Street, Fresno, Cal.

COURT NOTES.

A Large Number of Cases Set for Trial.

The following business was transacted before Judge Harris in department one of the superior court yesterday:

People vs. Chris Evans—On motion of S. J. Hinds, of defense, time of passing sentence was continued to Thursday, January 4th.

People vs. Cliff Regan—Trial of case continued and bond reduced to $500.

People vs. A. M. Dillwood—Transferred to Judge Webb.

People vs. Chris Evans et al., two cases—Continued by consent of district attorney on motion of defendant.

CASES SET FOR TRIAL.

People vs. Elmo Headley; continued.

People vs. M. C. Boyd; set for trial February 6th, 10 a.m.

People vs. W. J. Van Dusen; February 7th.

People vs. W. G. Griffith; February 8th.

People vs. W. S. James; February 19th.

W. B. Tucker et al. vs. M. J. Driver et al.; stricken from calendar.

City of Fresno vs. Fresno Canal and Irrigation company and Fresno Milling company; stricken from calendar.

J. S. Mandell vs. M. J. Donahoo; January 4th.

J. H. Grady vs. M. J. Donahoo et al.; January 5th.

Holmes Hakes vs. Producers' Raisin Packing company; January 9th.

A. S. Shipp vs. C. A. Hart; January 10th.

M. J. Donahoo et al. vs. W. D. Grady et al.; January 11th.

Robert Balfour vs. Fresno Canal and Irrigation company; January 16th.

C. K. Kirby, Jr., vs. W. M. Williams; January 17th.

George F. Bickel vs. City of Fresno; January 18th.

J. W. Mawhinney vs. Southern Insurance Company; January 19th.

E. A. Cohen vs. A. D. Barling et al.; January 23d.

Rebecca A. Rawlins vs. Mutual Life Insurance Company; January 24th.

Fresno Canal and Irrigation Company vs. Karl Scheiller et al.; January 30th.

P. Jauraguy vs. John Bittencourt; January 31st.

JURY CASES SET FOR TRIAL.

All cases set for 9.30 a.m. unless otherwise stated.

A. J. Brooks vs. W. F. Beck & Co.; February 9th.

O. L. Abbott vs. 76 Land and Water Co.; February 12th.

John Shipe vs. 76 Land and Water Co.; February 13th.

E. A. Cohen vs. H. H. Hotaling et al.; February 14th.

Su Lun vs. Yee Chung et al.; February 15th.

C. C. Lyon vs. F. F. Knowles et al.; February 16th.

MOTIONS AND ORDERS.

Brown vs. W. D. Crichton—Hearing of petition for certiorari set for January 15th at 10 a.m.

Sadie Baldwin vs. N. J. Baldwin; plaintiff granted divorce.

California S. and L. Society vs. Frank McCabe et al.—Demurrers overruled and motions denied.

Peckinpah vs. Morrill — Demurrer overruled; ten days to answer.

MacDermott vs. Marceau—Motion to continue matter to January 15th, by consent granted and all proceedings stayed.

John M. Gauch vs. Abbott—demurrer overruled.

Mrs. C. J. Telfer vs. W. H. Cureton—Dismissed.

George Wolters vs. Obediah Nance et al.—Dismissed.

Simon vs. Simon; demurrer submitted on a brief to be filed.

W. S. Chapman vs. Thos. E. Hughes et al.; continued to January 8th.

Ah Fong vs. Earl Fruit Company; demurrer sustained; ten days to amend.

People's Home Savings bank vs. W. S. Kinsman et al.; demurrer overruled; twenty days to answer.

Charles Lambert vs. Dargelos Bros. et al.; demurrer submitted and taken under advisement.

BEFORE JUDGE HOLMES, DEPARTMENT 2.

Kate C. Newton vs. William G. Newton; proceedings to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt; sentenced to one day in the county jail.

People vs. J. B. Daniels; court ordered defendant to appear Wednesday, December 20th, at 9 a.m., for arraignment, and in default, bail bond would be declared forfeited.

People vs. John Blance; same order.

People vs. S. R. Hart; same order.

Justin Esrey vs. D. S. Fish et al.; motion of plaintiff to file amended complaint granted; defendant to have twenty days to answer.

Insolvency of I. Poore; hearing set for December 20th, at 2.30 p.m.

Peters vs. Hawn; default of defendant entered.

CASES SET FOR TRIAL.

All cases set for 9.30 a.m. unless otherwise noted.

Fresno Kindergarten vs. G. A. Wilson; December 20th.

W. E. Knowles vs. Frank Prather; December 21st.

Poachine Water Company vs. T. W. Standart; January 8th.

People vs. Frank Cronin; January 22d.

People vs. A. M. Dillwood; January 23d.

People vs. D. Swain; January 23d.

People vs. W. S. James, two cases; January 26th.

Church vs. Heilbron et al.; February 1st.

S. C. Moore vs. A. Hammerslak, February 1st.

Frank Davis vs. North Fork Lumber Company; February 2d.

Hansen vs. Home Packing Company; February 5th.

Peter Fink vs. Jay Scott; February 6th.

Peter Fink vs. Thomas Sweet; February 6th; defendant demands a jury.

E. Showalter vs. John Morgan; February 7th.

Hall vs Ball; February 8th.

Fresno Canal and Irrigation Company vs. G. H. Malter; February 12th.

H. S. Williams vs. Christiana; February 14th.

Samuels vs. Allen; February 15th.

O. L. Everts vs. Andreas Otto et al.; January 6th.

Thomas vs. Sayle; February 26th.

BEFORE JUDGE WEBB, DEPARTMENT 3.

John Beaves vs. Levy; motion to quash summons, etc., taken under advisement.

Annie E. Concley vs. George W. Concley; set for trial next Friday at 9.30.

B. M. Thompson vs. the Southern Insurance Company of New Orleans; trial set for January 8th.

J. W. Moore vs. George Brown et al.; motion to amend demurrer.

Matter of the estate of O. F. McConnell; demurrer to amended petition and motion to strike out taken under advisement.

Bassal H. Paul vs. Frank K. Prescott et al.; by consent plaintiff allowed to amend complaint; demurrer overruled; ten days to answer.

INJURED INNOCENCE.

Dillwood Says He Does Not Belong to a Gang.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—I see my name appears in the Expositor in connection with a gang. As there is no such a thing as a gang and never was, that I know of, with which I had anything to do, I would ask the writer to refrain from using my name in such connection. The accusation is false and a damnable lie, and is made only to injure me in my coming trials, which are also false charges put against me by individuals who seek to take their spite out on me at the expense of the taxpayers. If the public will examine into the matter they will see this for themselves.

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